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HB 2021 (Chapter 183): adult protective services; information online

Requires the Adult Protective Services Registry be available on-line and specifies that reports be maintained for 25 years rather than 10 years. Effective: July 3, 2015.

Click [here](#) for the bill history.

HB 2024 (Chapter 254): child safety oversight committee; continuation

Extends the Child Safety Oversight Committee through December 31, 2016 and makes changes to the membership. Effective: July 3, 2015.

Click [here](#) for the bill history.

HB 2047 (Chapter 198): child removal; supervisor review; approval

Specifies that DCS may not remove a child from the custody of the child's parent, guardian or custodian unless the child safety worker submits the reasons for removal and supporting documentation to their supervisor and the supervisor approves the removal. Effective: July 3, 2015.

Click [here](#) for the bill history.

HB 2098 (Chapter 257): department of child safety

Makes changes to the Arizona Revised Statutes resulting from the establishment of DCS in 2014. Effective: July 3, 2015.

Click [here](#) for the bill history.

HB 2099 (Chapter 258): adoption; definitions; agency records

Defines the procedures for transfer of documents when an adoption agency ceases operations. Effective: July 3, 2015.

Click [here](#) for the bill history.

HB 2100 (Chapter 259): DCS employee personal information; confidentiality

Protects the identity of an employee of DCS. Effective: July 3, 2015.

Click [here](#) for the bill history.

HB 2166 (Chapter 261): DCS information; egregious abuse; neglect

Relocates the laws regarding information DCS must provide to the public in a case of fatality or near fatality and further expands disclosure requirements. Effective: July 3, 2015.

Click [here](#) for the bill history.

HB 2488 (Chapter 312): housing assistance; seriously mentally ill

Permits monies in the Seriously Mentally Ill Housing Trust Fund to be used for rental assistance for a person with a serious mental illness. Effective date: July 3, 2015. Delayed repeal: January 1, 2018.

Click [here](#) for the bill history.

HB 2519 (Chapter 317): relocation of child; parenting plans

Makes changes to the laws related to the relocation of a child. Effective: July 3, 2015.

Click [here](#) for the bill history.

HB 2545 (Chapter 318): direct care personnel; duties

Allows direct care staff personnel to execute a pre-hospital medical care directive if the physician of the person with the directive has ordered a hospice plan of care. Effective: July 3, 2015.

Click [here](#) for the bill history.

HB 2571 (Chapter 320): DCS information; legislator discussion

Allows legislators to discuss DCS information with each other if all have signed a confidentiality form. Effective: July 3, 2015.

Click [here](#) for the bill history.

SB 1077 (Chapter 35): child care facilities; SFB guidelines

Removes language that certain child care facilities may incorporate SFB guidelines when selecting facilities. Effective: July 3, 2015.

Click [here](#) for the bill history.

SB 1080 (Chapter 143): tribal social services agencies; information

Expands the duty to report abuse or neglect to include reporting to a tribal law enforcement or social service agency for any Indian minor who lives on a reservation. Further, SB 1080 gives tribal social service agencies access to the Central State Repository or the Arizona Criminal Justice Information System, for specified purposes. Effective: July 3, 2015.

Click [here](#) for the bill history.

SB 1092/HB2075 (Chapter 7): AHCCCS; annual waiver submittals

Requires the Director of AHCCCS to apply to CMS by March 30 of each year for waivers or amendments to the current Section 1115 Waiver. Effective: July 3, 2015.

Click [here](#) for the bill history.

SB 1313 (Chapter 253): uniform interstate family support act

Adds a new article to the Uniform Interstate Family Support Act (UIFSA) to incorporate amendments adopted to the UIFSA in 2008. Effective: July 3, 2015.

Click [here](#) for the bill history.

SB 1400 (Chapter 167): human rights committees; members

Modifies the membership and duties of Human Rights Committees. Effective: July 3, 2015.

Click [here](#) for the bill history.

SB 1401 (Chapter 181): home care services; disclosure

Outlines reporting requirements relating to a business entity that provides home care services in this state. Effective: July 3, 2015.

Click [here](#) for the bill history.

SB 1440 (Chapter 169): ALTCS; developmental disabilities; rates; appropriation

Requires DES to annually determine the cost effective study rate for persons receiving developmental disability services and to report these figures to JLBC and transfers \$100,000 from the long-term care system fund administered by DES to the client developmental disability services trust fund in fiscal year 2015. Effective: July 3, 2015.

Click [here](#) for the bill history.